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The frost seems to have landed harder on the beans than on the pumpkins.

If those regiments of Russian women turn disloyal there is nothing left for Russia. Thus far they have served to hold the army together.

Westward the baseball empire takes its way. It will be better for the game for the championship to be wrenched away from Boston now and then.

The largely decreased loss of British shipping during the past week means that more submarines have been sent out to meet the expected American transports.

The Montpelier Argus suggests that "an agreement of candidates" would mean another term for Gov. Graham. That wouldn't be such a bad idea if the war continues, and perhaps under any conditions.

Premier Kerensky of Russia is gifted with that very important qualification for success which is called optimism. If a man is able to see a silver lining to the Russian cloud at the present time, and especially a man in Kerensky's position, he surely is to be classed among the optimists.

Andrew Bonar Law, British chancellor of the exchequer, gives recognition to the aid already extended by the United States to the entente allies. That aid, as everybody knows, is financial. The million and one-half men already in training or about to go into training will be the next aid, and it will be just as much appreciated.

Before suspending the sentences of two young men so that they could enlist in the navy, that judge at Newfane probably determined that the young men could pass the physical examination established by the navy. It would have been rather embarrassing to suspend the sentences only to learn later that the men could not pass the examination.

It took the United States upward of four years to pass through its civil war; but the threatened civil war in Russia could not continue for that length of time because of the fact that there is an enemy at the very door of the nation and because the nation is already very nearly exhausted from more than three years of warfare. If civil war breaks out in Russia it will be of comparatively short duration.

If the persistent reports coming out of Germany of a desire for peace are really a deception in order to deaden the war spirit throughout the United States they are not accomplishing their purpose to any marked extent, for the United States is going ahead with its preparation with methodical precision, building slowly, to be sure, but most substantially. The time when Germany can deceive the United States in by such camouflage is past; there will be no peace until the United States and her allies are ready for it.

A publicity car for the Indian lands in Oklahoma is now in Vermont for the purpose of exploiting the attractions of that region and, no doubt, with the expectation of drawing some Vermont people westward. Ever since the late 40's Vermont has been blighted white until its growth has been stunted more than that of any other state in the eastern part of the country. It would be better if the efforts of the publicity agents of western lands should be directed to the large centers of population like New York and Boston, where there are thousands of people waiting for just such an opportunity as new land affords.

Inasmuch as there is no company of the Vermont Home Guards in Barre some of the younger men of the community may desire to join the company which is located at present in Montpelier; and should there be sufficient response in Barre the company might perhaps be transferred to Barre, just as the Headquarters company and Company C were transferred. It is not expected that the drill meetings will take the men away from their homes for any extended stays, although the regiment would be ready for any emergency which might arise inside the state. No doubt the company located at Montpelier would welcome enlistments from Barre, and those who have the inclination should communicate with the commanding officer as soon as possible. There are at present only 15 members in the company and about 40 more are needed to bring the unit up to the desired strength. Here is a chance for patriotic men who are barred from active field service to assist the government during the time of war.

A month ago the summer vacation was at its height. Some people seem to think, because of two frosty mornings, that winter is close at hand. Cheer up. More than two months of the most beautiful and invigorating weather is before

us. The best season of the whole year for outdoor recreation is just ahead.—Brattleboro Reformer.

The above is written by a man who resides in a southern clime. "More than two months" will bring us in northeastern Vermont well into the rigor of early winter when the weather is invigorating, to be sure, but scarcely beautiful. However, there is reason for us to expect at least a month of the brand of weather which the southern contemporary speaks about, and there is no sense in beginning to bemoan our lot and to have gloomy forebodings of the winter—providing the rainfall is not a yawning abyss. The month of October, after two weeks more of September, is likely to be such as to encourage outdoor activities. So we say with The Reformer, "Cheer up," and don't spend the next month and a half grunting about what is coming later on.

## ARGENTINA WAKING UP.

The government of Argentina has taken prompt steps to clear itself of any suspicion of association with Germany and the other central powers by issuing passports for the German ambassador, Count Luxburg, who is said to have imposed on the Swedish government to the extent of having sent German secret code messages to Berlin through the medium of the Swedish ambassador's reports. The act by the Argentine government does not necessarily mean the severing of diplomatic relations with Germany because the recall of ambassadors not pleasing to the government to which they have been accredited sometimes takes place in time of peace and is followed by the appointment of some other person to the post. It is probable that the demand for the recall of Count Luxburg will be followed by the action of Germany in appointing some other ambassador inasmuch as Germany seems desirous of maintaining friendly relations with Argentina. At the same time the latter government will, most likely, consider the incident as closed, once the change in ambassadors is made, as Argentina has gone to considerable lengths to avoid being drawn into the war.

## CURRENT COMMENT

## Liberty and Licenses.

New Hampshire has an opening for a bright young man in its fish and game department. Apparently New Hampshire does not realize this, but the rest of the world has been informed. The published story of a New York man who took in a single day 90 trout—two of which weighed a pound and a half each—is a symptom of New Hampshire's un-realized need.

Ten pounds of trout are allowed by law as a day's catch for a single sportsman. In this case, as two of the fish weighed together three pounds, the other 88 must have aggregated not more than seven pounds, if the fisherman kept within the weight limit. But to do that it would have been necessary for him to take fish smaller than the size limit.

As it was, the gentleman in question probably broke the law in at least two directions. It seems pertinent to ask whether he went to the formality and expense of taking out a license.

A delegation with tin horns, alarm clocks and kettle drums should wait on the warden and arouse him. If he continues to slumber uninterrupted, all the streams in his state may require restocking with fish.

The present shortage of food some means should be provided to compel game wardens to prevent annihilation of food supplies at their source.—Boston Globe.

## JINGLES AND JESTS

## The Simplicity of It.

Mr. Proffiter—Your clothes are costing me an enormous amount lately, Mary.

Mrs. Proffiter—Well, raise the price of something, George—that'll soon cover it.—London Opinion.

## High Visibility.

"Officer," said a lady much above the usual avoirdupois, "could you see me across the street?"

"Madam, I could see you half a block!"—Judge.

## To the Funeral Baked Meats.

"Dine with me to-morrow at the Mire, can't you?"

"Sorry, old man—but I really can't go to-morrow. I'm going to see Hamlet."

"Oh, bring him along with you as well."—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Ireland Defended.

Editor Times: In your issue of Sept. 5 an editorial appeared which stated that "Cowardly assaults on American sailors in Ireland will not make friends for Irish freedom in America." In your issue of Sept. 4 on the first page you had already printed under a three and one-half inch heading of your boldest type, an extract from the London Chronicle which stated that American sailors accompanied by young women were attacked on the streets of Cork. There has been considerable comment on the "item" and the "editorial" and it seemed to me that a word or two at this time would not be amiss in order that we may not get hysterical. I do not remember that The Times made any editorial comment when American soldiers accompanied by young women were attacked by a crowd of young men at East Boston this summer. And while we all admire the "personnel" of the U. S. naval service it is well known to every American who reads that such incidents are familiar to the residents of every seacoast city in America. Yes, and every seacoast city in the world for that matter. A careful perusal of The Chronicle dispatch will reveal the fact that, so far as the American sailors were concerned, the Cork episode was no different from similar incidents in our own coast cities, and it seems grossly unfair to the Irish people for The Times, through its editorials, to magnify the incident to international proportions, and the wording of the editorial which was conspicuously placed at the head of the column, has a particular sting when it refers to "cowardly assaults." No people in the world have been more loyal to America than the Irish, and more brave in her defense. That race stood beside the cradle of this land. Irish soldiers followed Montgomery to Quebec and died beside that gallant son of Douglas as he fell before the walls. Irish soldiers charged with Moyle, the cavalry hero from Cork. They struggled over the wall at Bennington with Stark, they crowded through the gates of Stony Point with Mad Anthony Wayne and the Irish Pennsylvania line. They rushed with General Hand at Brandywine springs. They charged with Fitzgerald at Monmouth, where the Irish Molly Pitcher served a Continental gun. Look over the rolls of the soldiers who fought with Washington and the Mc's and the O's are there—and they will be on the rolls of battle as long as an Irish hand can draw the sword or an Irish heart beat strong and true for the cause of the only land that welcomed them as brothers when they were exiles from the land of their fathers. They climbed over the side of hostile ships with Commodore Jack Barry of Wexford, the "father of the American navy." They were with Captain Jeremiah O'Brien when he fought the first sea fight of the Revolution, and with Gen. John Sullivan when he fought the first land battle. They were in the Mexican war with Shields and Kearney. They were in the Civil war under Irish generals whose fame will gleam in the annals of war as long as men reverence deeds of daring, or follow leaders who ask no man to follow when they will not go themselves. They charged with the Irish brigade on the slopes of Fredericksburg. They galloped with Sheridan when he snatched victory from the jaws of defeat at Winchester. They covered the retreat of the Union army at Chancellorsville. They saved the remnants of the forces in blue in the rout at Bull Run. They died in the swamps of Chickahominy. They fell like wheat before the reaper on the slopes of Malvern hill. They stood on every field from Ball's Bluff to Appomattox and they fought like true Americans and died like brave Irishmen. There is no field without its Irish dead and the flag that flies above them has no more faithful sons than those who are proud to be called the "fighting race." No alarmist will shake the faith of our people. That faith has been built upon the rock of liberty and freedom-loving Americans will always be friends of Irish freedom. British reports of Irish cowardly assaults notwithstanding.

Sincerely yours,  
 M. D. Keefe.

WASHINGTON.

There will be a meeting of Washington grange Friday evening, Sept. 14. Program: Music; question, "Resolved, that there should be a standard for all products of the farm and a standard price for the same"; a selection from the grange monthly; music; "America," by the grange.

Probably Huns There, Too.

We don't exactly know where Cathay is, but, maugre Tennyson, better a cycle there than fifty years of the present Europe.—Boston Transcript.

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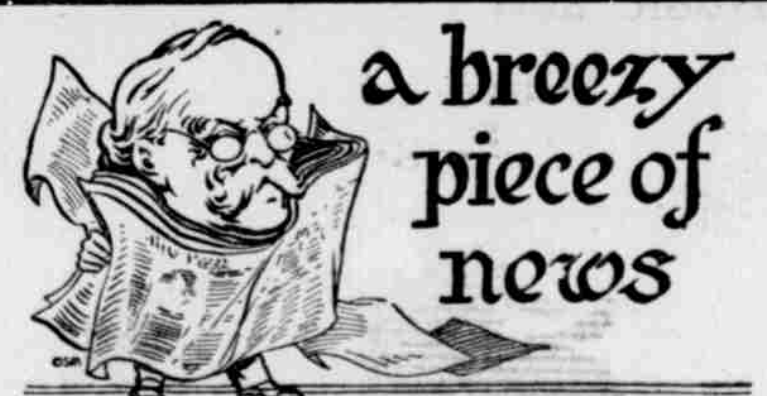
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